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SILICON PLANAR EPITAXIAL TRANSISTORS

N-P-N transistors in plastic TO-92 envelopes, primarily intended for low-noise input stages in tape recorders, hi-fi amplifiers and other audio-frequency equipment.

QUICK REFERENCE DATA

			BC549	BC550
Collector-emitter voltage ($V_{BE} = 0$)	V_{CES}	max	30	50 V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	V_{CEO}	max	30	45 V
Collector current (peak value)	I_{CM}	max	200	200 mA
Total power dissipation up to $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	P_{tot}	max	500	500 mW
Junction temperature	T_j	max	150	150 $^{\circ}\text{C}$
D.C. current gain $I_C = 2\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$	h_{FE}	>	200	200
		<	800	800
Transition frequency $I_C = 10\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$	f_T	typ	300	300 MHz
Noise figure at $R_S = 2\text{ k}\Omega$ $I_C = 200\text{ }\mu\text{A}; V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$ $f = 30\text{ Hz to }15\text{ kHz}$	F	typ	1,4	1,4 dB
		<	4	3 dB
$f = 1\text{ kHz}; B = 200\text{ Hz}$	F	typ	1,2	1 dB
$f = 10\text{ Hz to }50\text{ Hz}$ (equivalent noise voltage)	V_n	<	—	0,135 μV

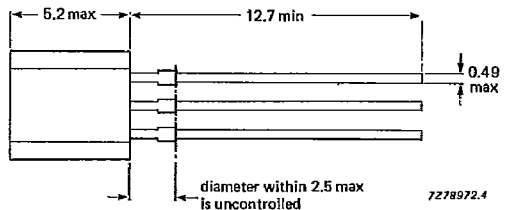
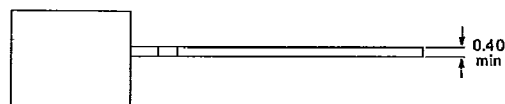
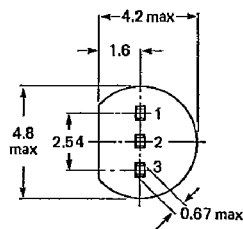
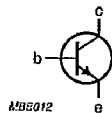
MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions in mm

Fig. 1 TO-92.

Pinning

- 1 = emitter
- 2 = base
- 3 = collector



Capability approved to CECC NECC-C-002

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RATINGS

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134)

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		BC549	BC550
Collector-base voltage (open emitter)	V _{CBO}	max. 30	50 V
Collector-emitter voltage (V _{BE} = 0)	V _{CES}	max. 30	50 V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	V _{CEO}	max. 30	45 V
Emitter-base voltage (open collector)	V _{EBO}	max. 5	5 V
Collector current (d.c.)	I _C	max.	100 mA
Collector current (peak value)	I _{CM}	max.	200 mA
Emitter current (peak value)	-I _{EM}	max.	200 mA
Base current (peak value)	I _{BM}	max.	200 mA
Total power dissipation up to T _{amb} = 25 °C	P _{tot}	max.	500 mW
Storage temperature	T _{stg}		-65 to + 150 °C
Junction temperature	T _j	max.	150 °C

THERMAL RESISTANCE

From junction to ambient in free air	R _{th j-a}	=	0,25 K/mW
From junction to case	R _{th j-c}	=	0,15 K/mW

CHARACTERISTICS

T_j = 25 °C unless otherwise specified

Collector cut-off current I _E = 0; V _{CB} = 30 V	I _{CBO}	<	15 nA
I _E = 0; V _{CB} = 30 V; T _j = 150 °C	I _{CBO}	<	5 μA
Base emitter voltage* I _C = 2 mA; V _{CE} = 5 V	V _{BE}	typ.	660 mV 580 to 700 mV
I _C = 10 mA; V _{CE} = 5 V	V _{BE}	<	770 mV
Saturation voltages ** I _C = 10 mA; I _B = 0,5 mA	V _{CEsat}	typ. <	90 mV 250 mV
	V _{BEsat}	typ.	700 mV
I _C = 100 mA; I _B = 5 mA	V _{CEsat}	typ. <	200 mV 600 mV
	V _{BEsat}	typ.	900 mV

* V_{BE} decreases by about 2 mV/K with increasing temperature.

** V_{BEsat} decreases by about 1,7 mV/K with increasing temperature.

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Collector capacitance at $f = 1$ MHz
 $I_E = I_e = 0; V_{CB} = 10$ V

C_c typ. 2,5 pF

Emitter capacitance at $f = 1$ MHz
 $I_C = I_c = 0; V_{EB} = 0,5$ V

C_e typ. 9 pF

Transition frequency at $f = 35$ MHz
 $I_C = 10$ mA; $V_{CE} = 5$ V

f_T typ. 300 MHz

Small signal current gain at $f = 1$ kHz
 $I_C = 2$ mA; $V_{CE} = 5$ V

h_{fe} 125 – 900

Noise figure at $R_S = 2$ k Ω
 $I_C = 200$ μ A; $V_{CE} = 5$ V
 $f = 30$ Hz to 15 kHz

		BC549	BC550
F	typ.	1,4	1,4 dB
	<	4	3 dB
F	typ.	1,2	1 dB
	<	4	4 dB

$f = 1$ kHz; $B = 200$ Hz

Equivalent noise voltage at $R_S = 2$ k Ω
 $I_C = 200$ μ A; $V_{CE} = 5$ V
 $f = 10$ Hz to 50 Hz; $T_{amb} = 25$ $^{\circ}$ C

V_n max. — 0,135 μ V

D.C. current gain
 $I_C = 10$ μ A; $V_{CE} = 5$ V

		BC549B BC550B	BC549C BC550C
h_{FE}	typ.	150	270
	>	200	420
h_{FE}	typ.	290	520
	<	450	800

$I_C = 2$ mA; $V_{CE} = 5$ V

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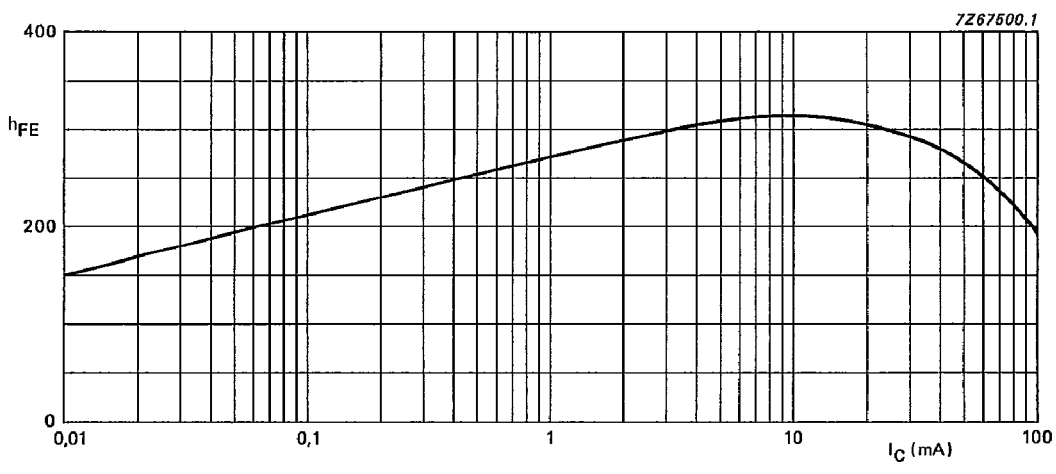


Fig. 2 BC549B and BC550B; $V_{CE} = 5$ V; $T_j = 25$ °C; typical values.

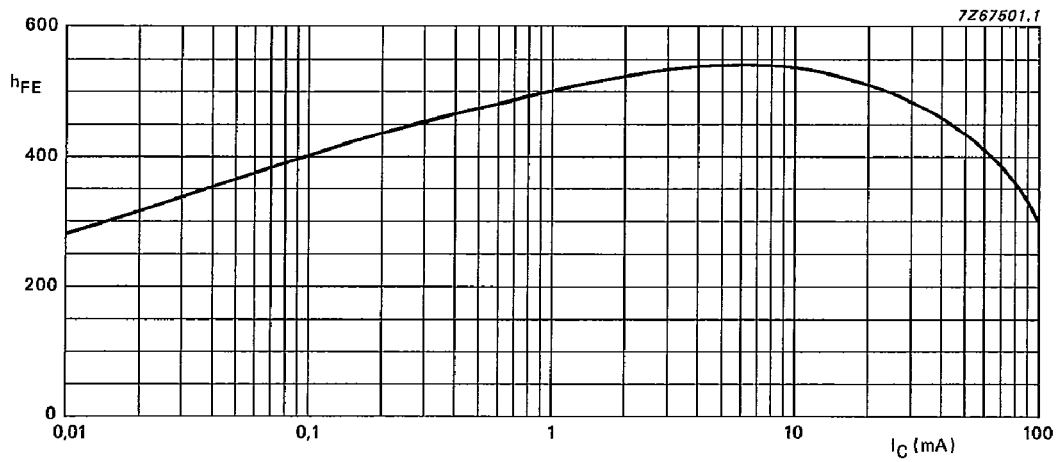


Fig. 3 BC549C and BC550C; $V_{CE} = 5$ V; $T_j = 25$ °C; typical values.

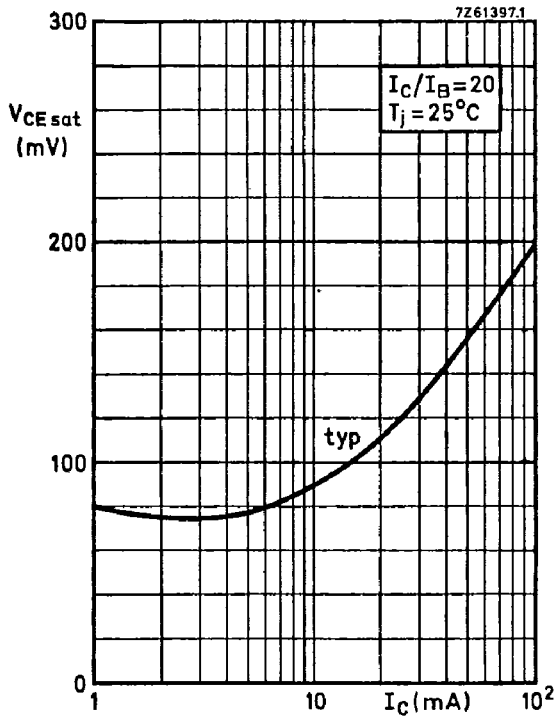


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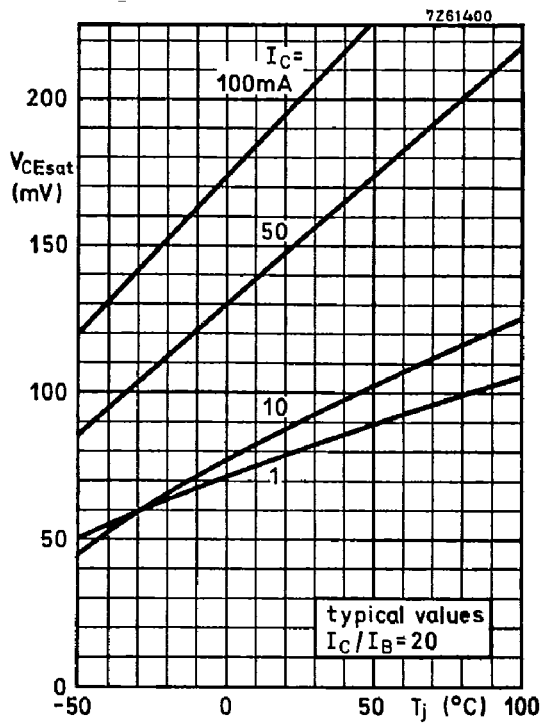


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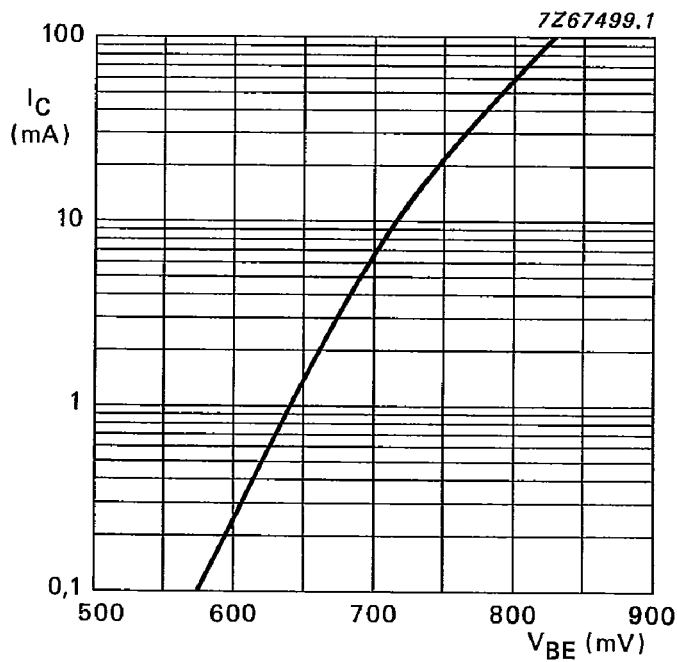
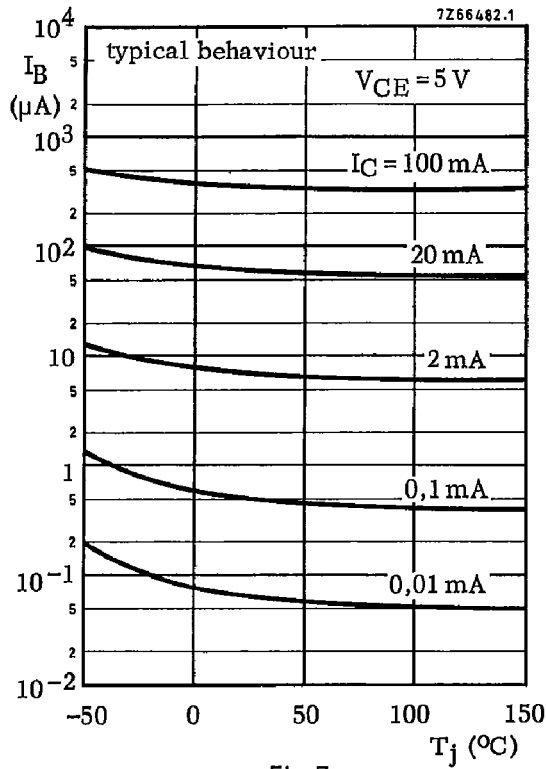


Fig. 6 $V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$; typical values.

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Fig. 7.

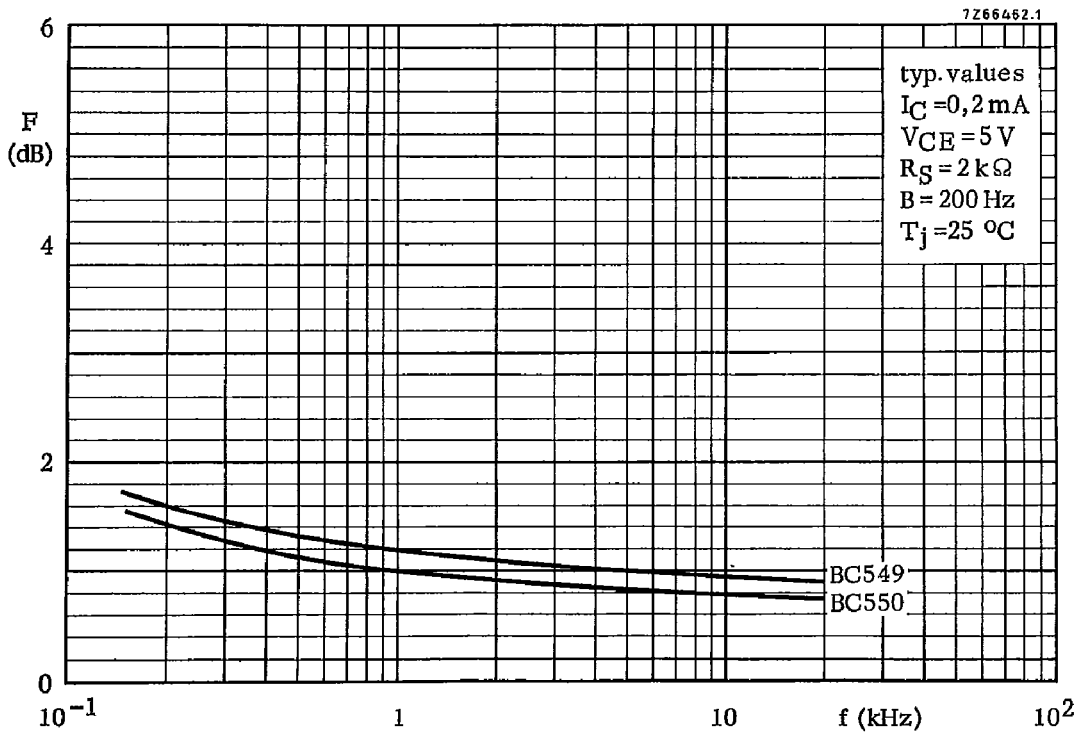


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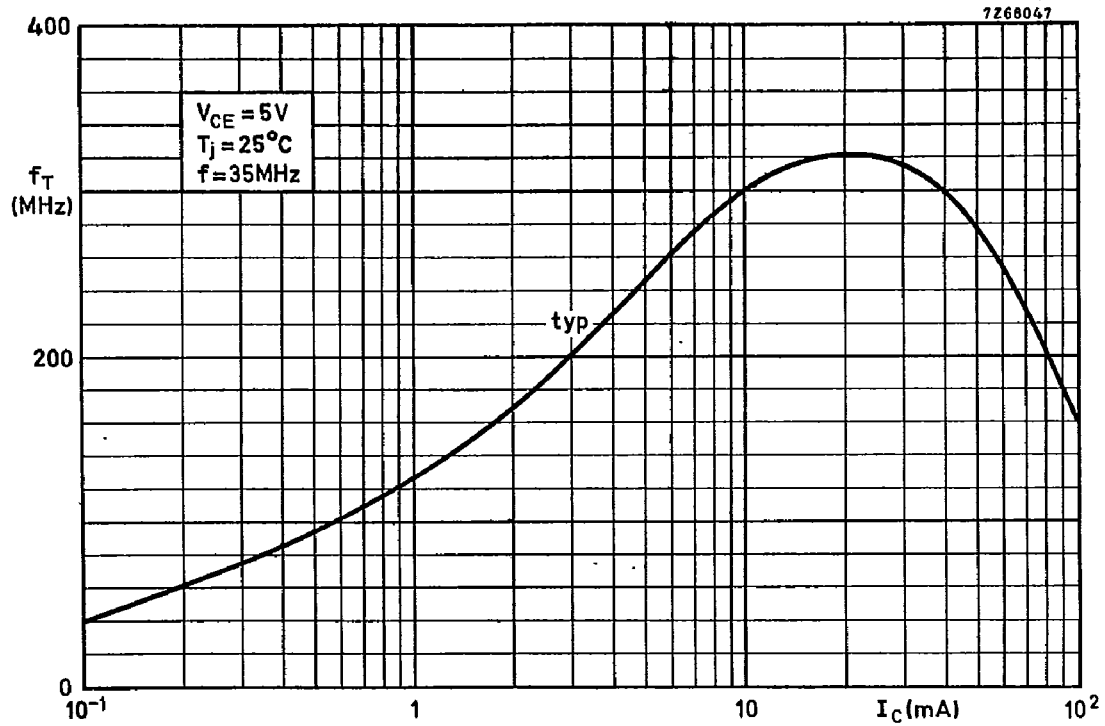


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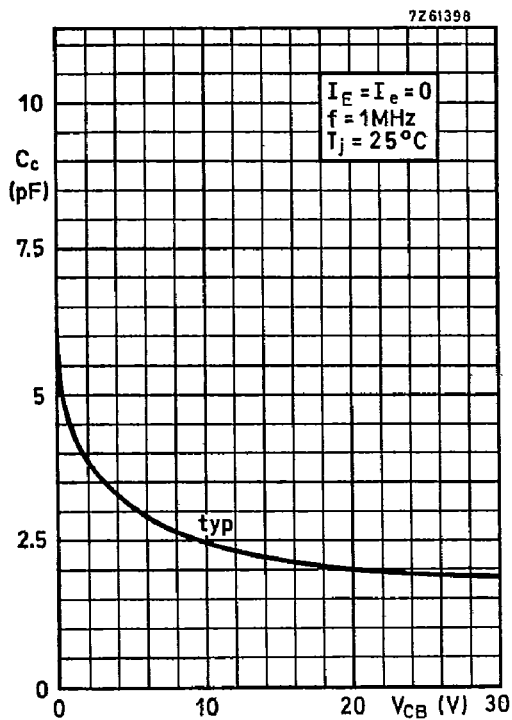


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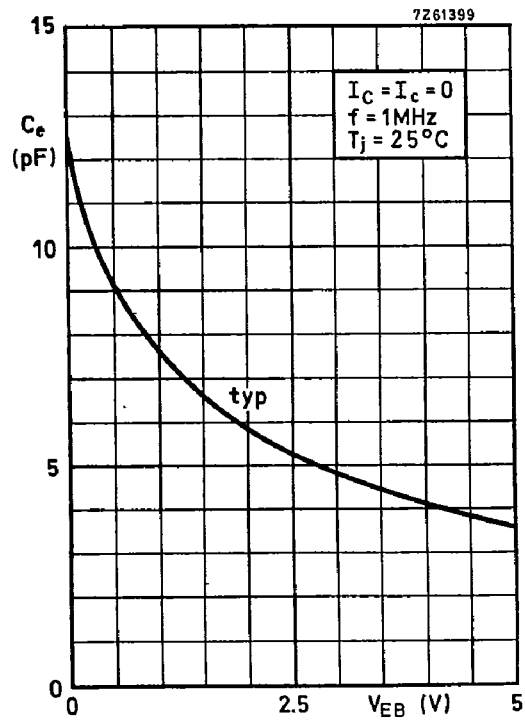


Fig. 11.

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Curves of constant noise figure

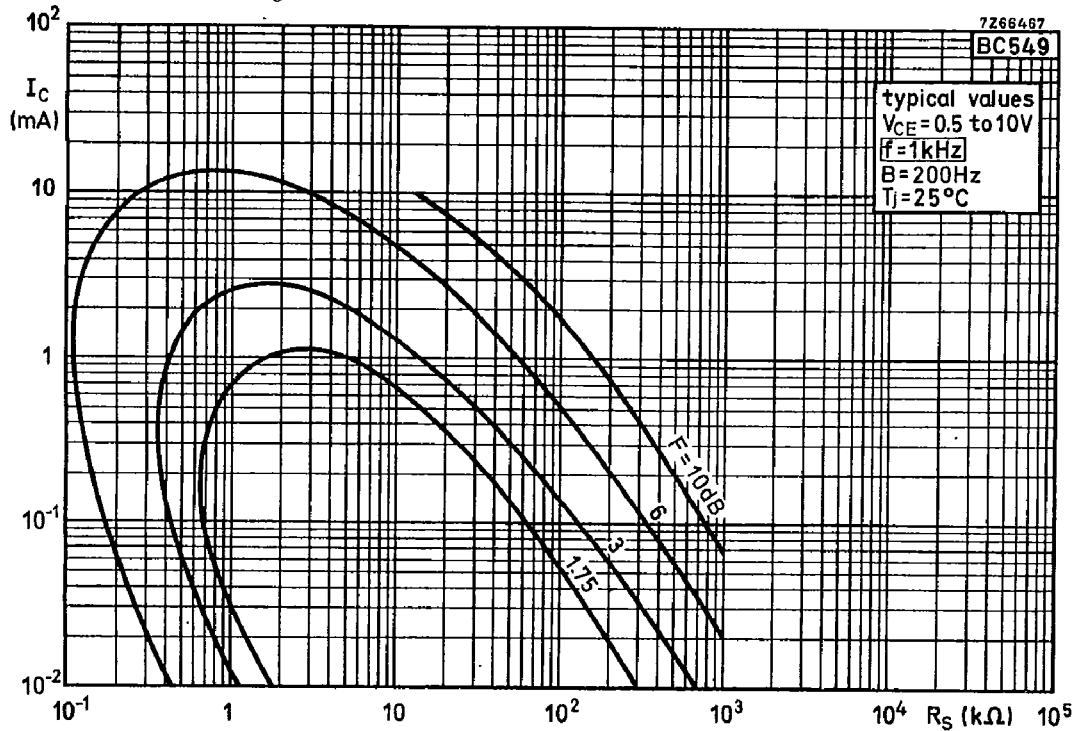


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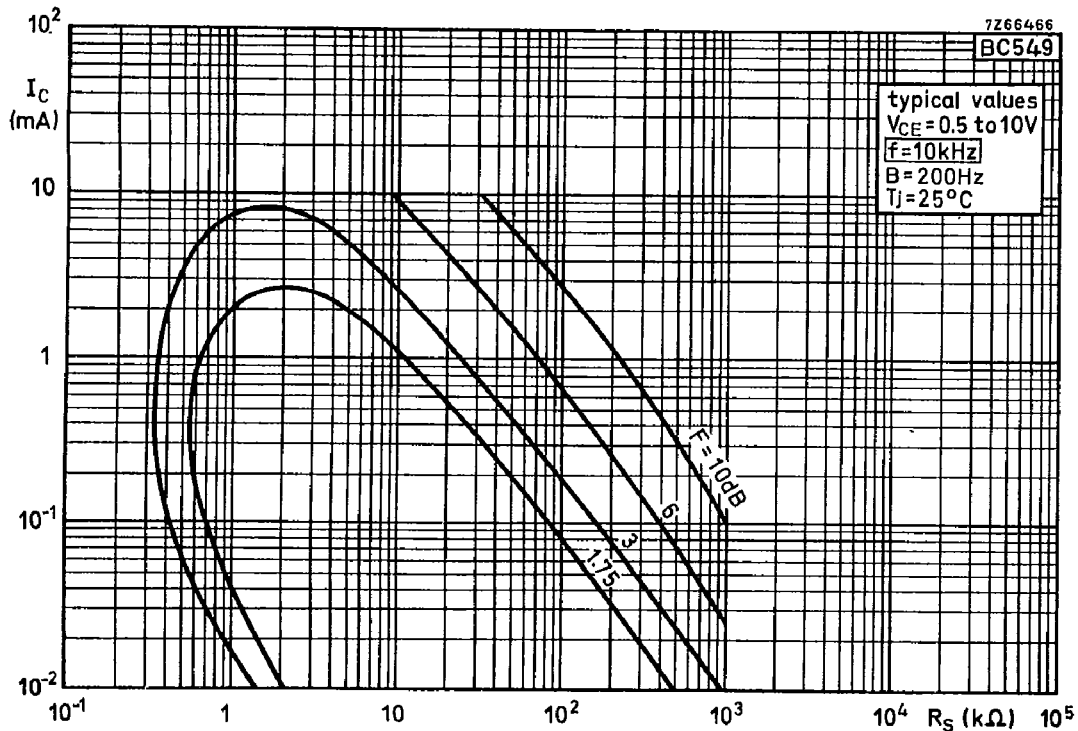


Fig. 13.

Curves of constant noise figure

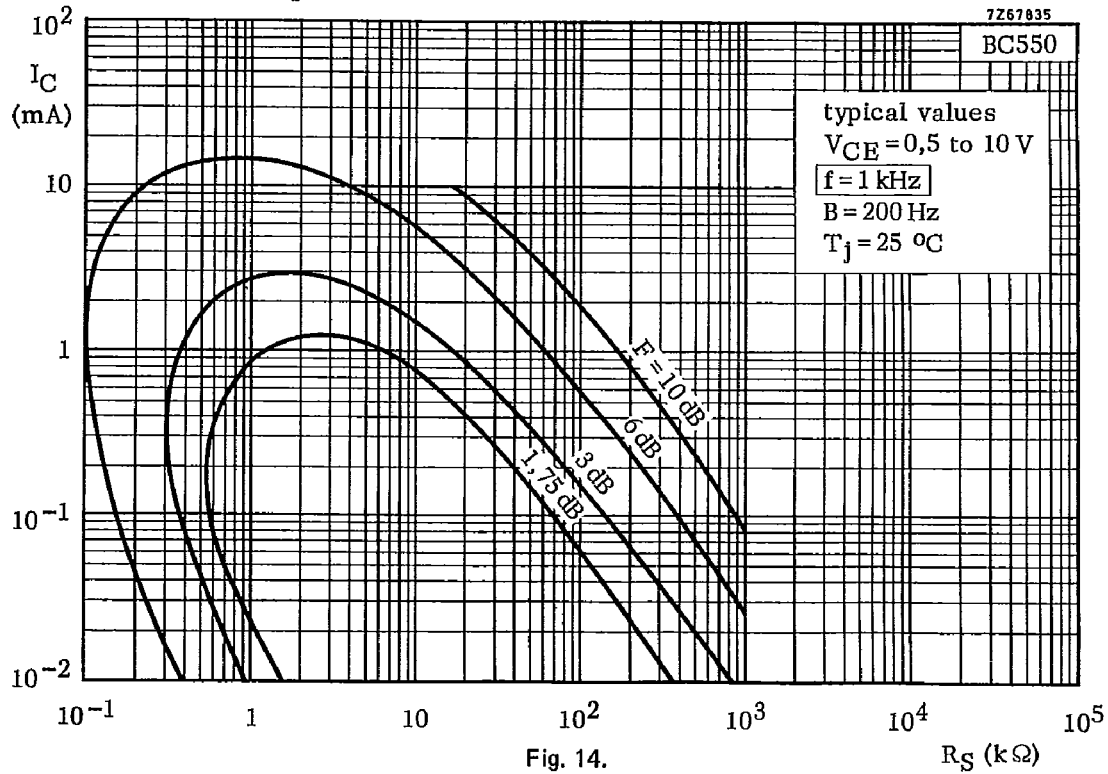


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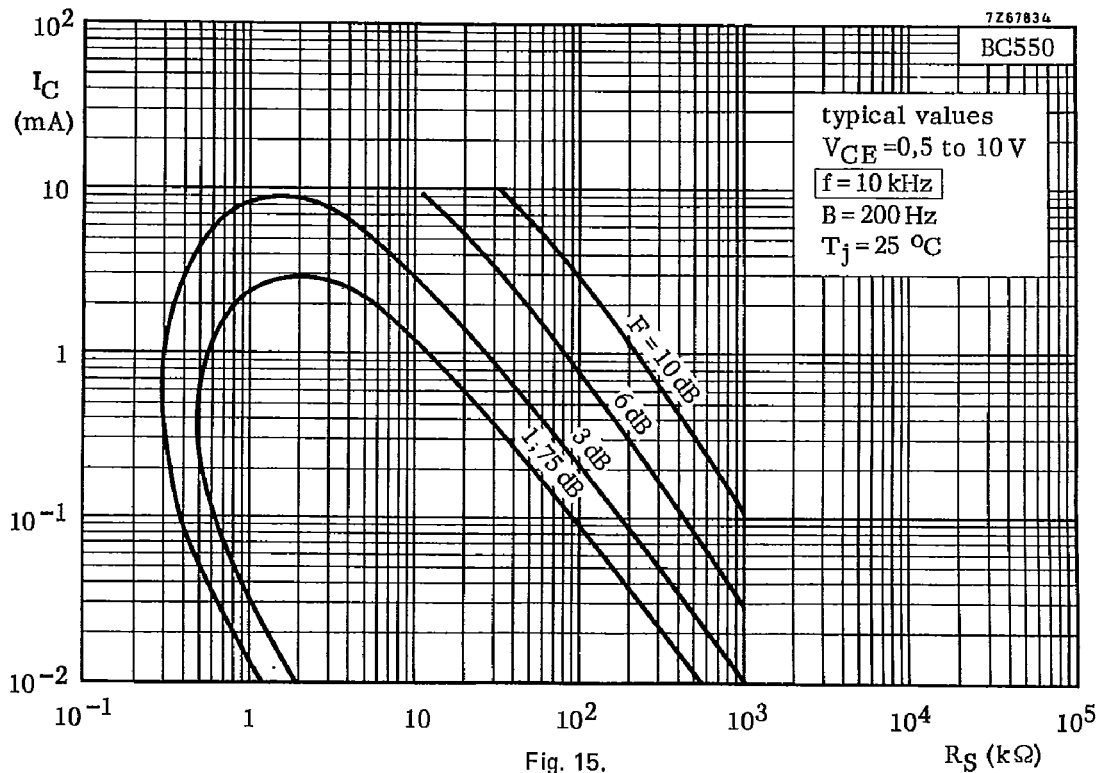


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